

**CHAPTER NO. 70**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2150**

**By Representatives Gresham, Shaw**

**Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 2086**

**By Senator Wilder**

AN ACT to amend Chapter 112 of the Private Acts of 1920 (Ex. Sess.); as amended by Chapter 94 of the Private Acts of 1959 and Chapter 120 of the Private Acts of 1986; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to elections and the Recorder in the town of Hornsby.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Section 4 of Chapter 112 of the Private Acts of 1920 (Ex. Sess.), as amended by Chapter 94 of the Private Acts of 1959 and Chapter 120 of the Private Acts of 1986, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting such section in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 4. Be it further enacted, That on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 2004, and on the same day quadrennially thereafter, an election shall be held in said town of Hornsby for the purpose of electing a Mayor, a Marshal, and Board of seven (7) Aldermen for said town, whose term of office shall begin on the first Tuesday in December, and who shall serve for a term of four (4) years and until their successors are elected and qualified. All elections for said town shall be held by the Election Commissioners of Hardeman County, Tennessee.

SECTION 2. Section 8 of Chapter 112 of the Private Acts of 1920 (Ex. Sess.), as amended, is amended by deleting such section in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 8. Be it further enacted, That in addition to the officers to be elected under this Act, for said Town of Hornsby, as hereinafter provided, the Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall at the first meeting after their election, elect a Treasurer from their members and elect a Recorder who may, but is not required to be, from their members; and in addition to their duties as Aldermen, if applicable, said Recorder and Treasurer shall also perform all duties required of them by law and ordinances of said Town of Hornsby.

SECTION 3. The terms of offices of the incumbent Mayor, Marshal and Board of Mayor and Aldermen on the effective date of this act shall be extended until their successors are elected and qualified as provided in Section 1 of this act.

SECTION 4. Nothing in this act shall be construed as having the effect of removing any incumbent from office or abridging the term of any official prior to the end of the term for which such official was elected.

SECTION 5. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the legislative body of the town of Hornsby. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of the town of Hornsby and certified to the secretary of state.

SECTION 6. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 5.

**PASSED: February 4, 2004**



JIMMY RAIFEH, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



JOHN S. WILDER  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

**APPROVED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of February 2004**



PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR